MODIFICATION REQUEST COVER SHEET

Name of Filer	CHRISTOPHER JORDAN
Reporting Period	☐ Annual report
	□ Candidate report – covering February 25, 2021 to February 24, 2022
Type of Request	⊠ New
	☐ Renewal with No Change
	☐ Full Commission Approval☐ Renewal with Change
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Office	County Commissioner, Spokane County
Held/Sought & Term	Candidate in 2022
Application	☐ Income & Ownership Interest: WAC 390-28-100(b)
Rule(s)	Personal Residence: WAC 390-28-100(1)(d)
	☐ Attorney: <u>WAC 390-28-100(1)(e)(i))</u> ☐ Index / Indiaiol Condidate: WAC 300-38-100(1)(e)(ii)
	☐ Judge / Judicial Candidate: WAC 390-28-100(1)(e)(ii)☐ Spousal: WAC 390-28-100(1)(e)(iv)
	☐ Other: WAC 390-28-100
Explanation of Rule(s)	Personal residence - Real property. Regarding reporting the information otherwise required by RCW 42.17A.710 (1)(h) through (k): (i) Under WAC 390-24-200, the filer must list the street address of each parcel, the assessor's parcel number, the abbreviated legal description appearing on property tax statements, or the complete legal description. Each property description must be followed by the name of the county in which the property is located. (ii) No modification will be necessary if the filer describes the real property using one of the alternatives in WAC 390-24-200, plus the name of the county. Judges, prosecutors, or sheriffs may describe a personal residence in the alternative manner provided under RCW 42.17A.710(2), and WAC 390-24-200 without a modification. (iii) A modification will be required if the filer seeks some other means to describe reportable real property including the personal residence of the filer. The commission may consider and grant such a modification to amend the description of a residential address to the extent necessary to protect the applicant or an immediate family member who has received a threat, has obtained a no contact order, or has presented a similar personal safety concern.
Supporting Documents (attached)	☑ Candidate F-1 (filed March 8, 2022)☑ Modification Application

Reason(s) for Modification (as stated by filer)

- Christopher Jordan is requesting a partial reporting modification that would exempt him from disclosing his residential address on his Personal Financial Affairs Statement filed as a 2022 candidate and covering the previous twelve months, due to safety concerns.
- In his application, Mr. Jordan stated that his request is being made on the basis that, for the past six years, he has served as an Assistant Attorney General representing Child Protective Services (CPS).
- Mr. Jordan stated that when CPS removes a child from a parents' care because of a safety threat he is directly involved in court hearings regarding those matters and is identified as the agency's attorney.
- Mr. Jordan provided a specific example of a matter where the father whose child was removed made threats to "kill everyone involved in his case." He went on to speak to a current case involving a father who has committed numerous violent crimes and whom a professional has assessed as being a psychopath needing treatment.

Other Issues

PDC staff have informed Mr. Jordan of the residential address alternatives set forth in WAC 390-24-200.

Mr. Jordan has agreed to recuse himself if there is a conflict of interest between his duties as an elected official and his personal interests.

Mr. Jordan's records would be exempt from public disclosure if the Commission finds in accordance with <u>RCW 42.17A.120</u> and <u>WAC 390-28-080</u> that disclosure of such information would present a personal risk to a reasonable person.